"Sec. 1005. Any person who is receiving retired or retirement pay under any provision of law providing retired or retirement pay to persons in any of the components of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Air Force, Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, or Public Health Service, and who would be eligible to receive pension or compensation under the laws administered by the Veterans' Administration if he were not receiving such retired or retirement pay, shall be entitled to receive such pension or compensation upon the filing by such person with the department by which such retired or retirement pay is paid of a waiver of so much of this retired or retirement pay as is equal in amount to such pension or compensation. To prevent duplication of payments, the department with which any such waiver is filed shall notify the Veterans' Administration of the receipt of such waiver, the amount waived, and the effective date of the reduction in retired or retirement pay."

SEC. 2. This Act shall take effect on January 1, 1958, or the first day

of the month following enactment, whichever is later.

Approved April 11, 1958.

Effective date.

Public Law 85-377

AN ACT

To authorize the payment from the Employees' Life Insurance Fund of expenses incurred by the Civil Service Commission in making certain beneficial association assumption agreements and to extend the time for making such agreements.

April 11, 1958 [S. 1740]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 5 (c) of the Federal Employees' Group Life Insurance Act of 1954 is amended by inserting before the colon preceding the proviso therein a comma and the following: "except that such fund shall be available, without regard to any such limitations, for payment of any such expenses incurred in assuming and maintaining the assets and liabilities of associations referred to in section 10".

Federal employees' life insurance. 68 Stat. 739. 5 USC 2094.

SEC. 2. Section 10 (d) of the Federal Employees' Group Life Insurance Act of 1954 (5 U. S. C. 2099 (d)) is amended to read as follows:

63 Stat. 742.

"(d) The arrangements authorized by this section shall be made not later than three months following the date of enactment of this amendment. Such arrangements shall apply only to life insurance agreements existing on August 11, 1955, and on the date of the respective arrangement."

Restrictions.

Approved April 11, 1958.

Public Law 85-378

AN ACT

To suspend for two years the duty on crude chicory and to amend the Tariff Act of 1930 as it relates to chicory.

April 16, 1958 [H. R. 5005]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That effective with respect to articles entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption during the two-year period beginning the day following the date of enactment of this Act, no duty shall be imposed upon crude chicory (except endive).

Chicory.